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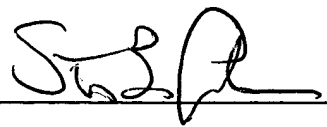
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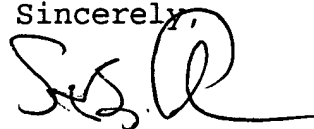
U.S. Patent 6,345,259 to Sandoval, "System and Method for Integrating Business and Manufacturing Environments," discusses a system and method for the integrating of business manufacturing environments.

U.S. Patent 5,880,960 to Lin et al., "Method to Improve WIP Balance in a Manufacturing Line," discusses a method to improve WIP balance in a manufacturing line.

U.S. Patent 5,612,886 to Weng, "Method and System for Dynamic Dispatching in Semiconductor Manufacturing Plants," discusses a method and system for dynamic dispatching.

U.S. Patent 5,463,555 to Ward et al., "System and Method for Integrating a Business Environment with a Process Control Environment," discusses a system and method for integrating a business environment with a process control environment.

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	6345259	2/5/02	Sandoval	705	7	2/22/00
	5880960	3/9/99	Lin et al.	364	468.05	1/27/97
	5612886	3/18/97	Weng	364	468.07	5/12/95
	5463555	10/31/95	Ward et al.	364	468	9/28/93

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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